

Like all of the proposals to revise the Morse Code requirement for Amateur licensing, this proposal has some merit.

I support these proposed changes in spirit, however I do not support their adoption at this time. I think that rather than amending the testing/licensing requirements piecemeal, it is better to make the changes in concert with a broader revision of the rules governing the Amateur Service. By doing this, the FCC could accomplish both substantive and housekeeping changes in a single rulemaking, at a great cost saving to the taxpayer.